the deployment of para-military forces in sensitive areas, intensified patrolling, construction of border fencing and flood-lighting in Vulnerable stretches of Indo-Pak border.

सुरक्षाबलों और उग्रवादियों के बीच झड़पें

2408. **श्री शंकर दयाल सिंह** : क्या गृह मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) जनवरी-फरवरी, 1994 में जम्मू और काश्मीर में सैनिकों, सीमा सुरक्षा बल के साथ आतंकवादियों की कितनी झड़पें हुई और इनमें कितने व्यक्ति घायल हुये और मारे गये ; और

(ख) सरकारी-सेवा में रत घायल हुए व्यक्तियों अथवा मारे गये व्यक्तियों के आश्रितों को दी गई सहायता का ब्यौरा और स्वरूप क्या है और क्या उनके परिवारों को सहायता प्रदान की गई है ?

गृह मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री राजेश पायलट) : (क) उपलब्ध सूचना के अनुसार, जम्मू और काश्मीर में जनवरी से फरवरी, 1994 के दौरान सुरक्षा बलों के कार्मिकों और उग्रवादियों के बीच करीब 490 मुठभेड़ें हुई। इन मुठभेड़ों में, सुरक्षा बलों के 46 कार्मिक मारे गये जबकि 70 कार्मिक घायल हुये । उक्त अवधि के दौरान इन मुठभेड़ों में 191 उग्रवादी भी मारे गये ।

(ख) जहां तक संभव और व्यवहार्य होता है, मृत कार्मिकों को विधवाओं/आश्रितों को रोजगार उपलब्ध कराये जाते हैं । राज्य सरकार द्वारा मृत्यु के मामले में 1.25 लाख रुपये की दर से तथा घायलों को विभिन्न दरों से अनुग्रह राहत का भुगतान किया जा रहा है। इसके अलावा, मृत व्यक्तियों के आश्रितों को विभिन्न बलों के कल्याण कोषों, रिस्क प्रमिया फंड, सी.जी.ई.जी.आई.एस., इत्यादि द्वारा वित्तीय सहायता भी उपलब्ध कराई जाती है ।

Demand for Dual Citizenship to NRIs

2409. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: SHRI BISHAMBHAR NATH PANDE:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the 13th India NRI World Convention which was held in Delhi made a demand for dual citizenship for the NRIs for their investment in India; and

(b) if so, what is the decision of the Government of India for giving dual citizenship to the NRIs in this country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) Some reports have appeared indicating that the demand for dual citizenship was raised at the 13th India NRI World Convention held in New Delhi on 27-28th December, 1993. However, so far no document in this connection has been received from the said Organisation.

(b) The concept of dual citizenship is not consistent with the Constitution of India and the Citizenship Act, 1955.

Irregularities Committee by Rotary Club

2410. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: SHRI BISHAMBHAR NATH PANDE:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that recently racket in Rotary Club was exposed when the Rotary International President Richard R. Barth visited India;

(b) if so, what is the total amount of money that has been siphoned out in the name of development by the Rotary Clubs in India; and

(c) if so, what action Government propose against these Rotary Clubs for siphoning of funds violating the undertaking given by them when they are receiving foreign funds in India?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) No such information is available.

(b) and (c) Does not arise.

Pension and other facilities to former Presidents and Vice-Presidents

2411. SHRI P. UPENDRA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether persons who retired as President of India are being paid pension and provided with other facilities;

(b) if so, what are the details of the facilities; and

(c) whether Government have proposal to bring forward a legislation for payment of pension to the ex Vice-President of India also?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN): (a) and (b) As per provisions under the President's Emoluments and Pension Act, 1951 and rules framed thereunder viz., the President's Pension Rules, 1962, retired Presidents are entitled to a pension of Rs. 1,20,000/- per annum and the following retirement benefits:

(i) a furnished residence, without payment of rent, a telephone, and a motor car free of charge or car allowance;

(ii) secretariat staff consisting of a Personal Secretary, a Personal Assistant and a Peon; and office expenses which shall not exceed Rs. 12,000/- per annum;

(iii) medical attendence and treatment free of charge, and travel in connection with medical treatment.

(iv) travel, anywhere in India, accompanied by one person, by the highest class, by air, rail or steamer.

(c) No such proposal is at present under consideration of the Government.

Purchase of land by Tibetan Monk

2412. SHRI O. P. KOHLI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the attention of Government has been drawn to the report published in Indian Express dated 19th February, 1994 that Tibetan monk, Tai Situ has purchased 400 acres of land worth Rs. 12 crore in a village near Gurgaon in Haryana, giving a false Delhi address;

(b) whether it is also a fact that a multi dimensional centre friendly to China is to be set-up in this sprawling complex at Roza Ka Gujar in Haryana; and

(c) if so, the details of the deal and Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The matter is being looked into.

Burning of a Married woman in Delhi

2413. DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a case of burning of a married woman in chand Nagar area of West Delhi by her in-laws has been registered on 14th. February, 1994 in Tilak Nagar Police Station if so, what are the details hereof;

(b) what steps are being taken to arrest the alleged culprits; and